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Frank Drake, Chairman of the Gulf Oil Company, and Mr. Hamilton, in charge of its international operations, came in this morning and talked to Messrs. Nitro, Linder and myself about the Iranian problem. We outlined what we had in mind and Col. Drake said ~~XXXX~~ he would consider the matter with his associates. We told him ~~XXXX~~ we would probably call a meeting next week, which the President had already authorized, of representatives of the major American oil companies.

After the meeting with the Gulf people, we spent a couple of hours talking over this whole thing amongst ourselves, Loy Henderson having joined us.

The McWilliamses came to lunch with Audrey and ourselves.

Dean arrived back this afternoon from New York and went out to his farm. I had a talk with him on the telephone. He hopes ~~XXXX~~ the Korean Resolution may be finished on Monday, but says it has been almost the most unsatisfactory negotiation he has ever engaged in.

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